

EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:12-CV-169

Defendant.

The court has conducted a *de novo* review of the objections in relation to the pleadings and the applicable law. After careful consideration, the court is of the opinion plaintiff's objections are without merit. As explained by the magistrate judge, the defendant timely responded to the court order cited by plaintiff. The defendant was therefore not in default.

ORDER

Accordingly, the objections filed by plaintiff are **OVERRULED**. The findings of fact and conclusions of law of the magistrate judge are correct, and the report of the magistrate judge is **ADOPTED**. Plaintiff's motion seeking a default judgment is **DENIED**.

So **ORDERED** and **SIGNED** this **23** day of **March, 2018**.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ron Clark", is written above a horizontal line.

Ron Clark, United States District Judge